

Today's Weather

Mostly sunny today with highest 70 to 75. Increasing cloudiness tonight with lowest 57 to 63. Tomorrow considerable cloudiness with scattered showers and thundershowers and high-est near 80.

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NO WAR IF WE'RE FIRM--DULLES

U.S. Ready To Talk

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today he does not believe there will be a war over the Formosa Straits islands if the United States follows its firm policy.

At the same time he disclosed that the United States today sent a note to Red China saying that it is prepared to resume ambassadorial talks to solve their disputes. He said the United States is ready to begin talking in Warsaw at any time Red China is prepared.

Dulles told his news conference that if Red China renounces the use of force in the Formosa Straits area, the Chinese Communist action could lead to what he termed further consequences. But he refused to spell those out.

Dulles made that intriguing comment when he was asked whether the United States was prepared to negotiate with Red China on the future of Quemoy and Matsu islands if the Peiping regime agreed to renounce force in the Formosa area. He began his answer by saying the United States is in no position to negotiate on the future of territory held by an ally, Nationalist China.

But then he continued in a vein that might hint at some U.S. concessions. He said Red China's agreement to give up use of force, if it came, would be a constructive new element that might have further consequences.

A reporter asked whether Dulles (Continued on Page 3, Col. 6)

Two Appeal Trash Fines

He Did It



Floyd J. Robertson Jr., confessed kidnaper of 18-year-old Marjorie Schneider, of Ft. Collins, is led into sheriff's office after leading police to the body of his victim. (UPI Telephoto)

Claim Proof Lacking

Two residents of Northeast Village, Philadelphia, today appealed in Bucks County Courts their conviction by a Middletown Township Justice of the Peace for dumping rubbish in the township.

Petitions to appeal were filed for Mrs. Anna Kugler, 2107A Atoll Road, and William Trinkle, 2107B Atoll Road. Justice of the Peace Frederick Holly on Aug. 30, found them guilty of dumping trash on Bristol-Oxford Valley Road between Trenton and Woodbourne Roads.

Fine Of \$25

Each was fined \$25 and costs. They were arrested on a complaint by Falls Township Constable Raymond Fate, 203 Stamford Road, Fairless Hills. The complaint charged them with violating a state law against "throwing trash on the land of another."

They were accused of dumping the rubbish there July 30. The petitions to appeal were filed by Attorney Edward J. McLinchey, in them, Trinkle and Mrs. Kugler deny the charge. They say there would be no reason for them to dispose of their trash because it is collected by the City of Philadelphia. They note that the city has a dump in Middletown Township and that scavengers could have removed the rubbish from there.

The petitions state that the facts and evidence presented to Holly at the hearing weren't sufficient to convict them. They state further that the wrong section of state law was used against them. The Philadelphia state in the petition that they should have been charged not with dumping "on the land of another," but with dumping on a highway. This latter offense allows a fine of only \$10. A \$50 fine is allowed for dumping on another person's property.

Phone Rate Hike Rejected

HARRISBURG (UPI) — A \$2-772,000 annual increase sought by the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania on telephone installation and reconnection charges has been rejected by the Public Utility Commission.

The PUC contended Bell failed to prove the need for the hike during a series of public hearings. The utility sought to raise the charge for installing residence phones from \$4.25 in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, and \$4 elsewhere in the state, to \$7. Business phone connection would have increased from \$8 in the two cities and \$7 elsewhere to \$10.

Baby's Death Blamed On Two Women Who Tied Up Phone Line

FRANKLIN LAKES, N. J. (UPI) — Burial services will be held today for a five-month-old boy whose death was blamed on two talkative women who stubbornly refused to give up a party line when the child's parents tried to call an ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Brown said yesterday that they pleaded with partyliners four times Saturday morning to let them make a call to Paterson to get an ambulance and oxygen for their son, Robert Jr.

But the Browns didn't know it. Pickering said he could not officially enter the case until Brown files a formal complaint. He said he didn't know if Brown would file a complaint today. However, Pickering said he "now knows the names" of the other three parties on the Browns' telephone line and was gathering "other information."

Hits With Hoop-la



Three Levittown youngsters demonstrate some of the ways that the hoops can be made to amuse in the whirling fad. The hoopsters are (from left) Ronnie Rosenberg, 111 Border Rock Road; George

Krushauskas, 20 Boston Ivy Road; and Alan Felmy, 15 Basswood Road, all Blue Ridge, Levittown. (Courier-Times Photo)

Young And Old Alike Whirl Hoops In L. Bucks

By MAURY ALLEN
Courier-Times Staff Writer

Lower Bucks youngsters have joined the mad national craze, whooping it up for the hoops.

There's an old cliché that salesmen use describing a good item. "They're going like hotcakes."

At last the toy industry has come up with an item that not only can truthfully stand this description but lives up to much more elaborate praise as "the best thing we ever had," and the "fastest mover ever," and "man, I wish I could get a million of them."

The object of the toy dealers' affection is a plastic or rubber hoop, 35 inches in diameter, from 69 cents to \$5 in retail price and a sure bet to make Elv's Presley look like a mere standstill. The hoop fad, which has accounted for 20,000,000 sales in less than a month, and is sure of going over 40,000,000 before the fad goes the way of all gimmicks, has spread across the country in amazing fashion.

Most Lower Bucks County dealers are pleading with their jobbers for more, but to little or no avail. The jobbers can barely keep up with the fantastic demand that has never been seen in the toy industry since Santa Claus was born.

Pomeroy's in the Levittown Shopping Center personally sent a man to a Newark jobber to get as many hoops as he could.

Joyce Moran, sales clerk in the toy department of Pomeroy's, said the store sold eight dozen in one day. "Now we have to wait (Continued on Page 3, Col. 8)

Furst did not appear and the officer went to the apartment. He found the suspect lying dead on the kitchen floor with a bullet wound in his left temple. Police Chief Felix R. Gowan said the death was an apparent suicide inflicted with a .22 caliber rifle.

The drunken driving case was not prosed.

Maine Democrats Whoop Up Victory

PORTLAND, Maine (UPI) — Maine Democrats today celebrated their greatest victory in half a century.

Gov. Edmund S. Muskie became the state's first elected Democratic Senator. He defeated Republican incumbent Frederick G. Payne in the spotlighted contest of Maine's last earlybird election Monday.

A Democratic governor, Clinton A. Clauson, will take over from Muskie in the State House. Two of the three congressional seats also went to Democrats Monday.

Muskie's victory was especially

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significant since it was considered by some to be the first voter reaction to the Adams - Goldfine controversy in Washington.

One case was dropped by the court — not prosed — when a Doylestown policeman who went to summon the suspect for court found him dead with a bullet in his head, an apparent suicide.

President Judge Edward G. Biester and Judges Edwin H. Satterthwaite and I. Louis Rubin all imposed sentences.

Judge Biester sentenced Lawrence H. Manogue, 3914 Amherst Place, Philadelphia, to a fine of \$200; Harry F. Davis, Oxford Valley and Fallsington Roads, Yardley, to \$200 fine and 30 days to 18 months in Bucks County Prison; and Francis W. Hughes, 233B Wake Road, Northeast Village, Philadelphia, to \$200 fine.

\$200 Fines
Davis was also fined \$100 by Judge Biester for driving after his operator's license was suspended. He pleaded guilty.

Judge Edwin H. Satterthwaite sentenced Roland W. Townsend, Jr., 204 Janet Ave., Croydon, and Harvey C. Eldridge, 10 River Lane, Levittown, each to \$200 fine; and Thomas R. Howard, 726 Franklin St., Trenton, N.J., to \$250 fine.

Sentenced by Judge Rubin were William I. Hunn Jr., Quakertown RD 4, \$200 fine; John Wright, 3564 Sheffield Ave., Philadelphia, \$250 fine; Donald Smith, 3218 Clay Ave., Eddington, 60 days in prison; John R. Lazo, 832 Carteret Ave., Trenton, \$350 fine.

Richard Schrack, 2305 Agate St., Philadelphia, pleaded guilty to driving after his license was suspended. Judge Rubin fined him \$150.

Harold Coulton, of Washington Crossing, was sentenced to 45 days to a year in prison for assault and battery. He pleaded guilty on one count before Judge Biester. A second count was dropped.

About Ashburn

Sports Editor Ben Borowsky gives Courier-Times readers an "insider" story on one of the National League's top hitters. Read of Richie Ashburn's visit to Lower Bucks on Page 8.

In addition, today's sports pages carry another in the series of local high school pigskin previews (Page 9) and the latest news from the Lower Bucks bowling scene (Page 9).

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Father Of 3 Sobs Out Murder Details

FORT COLLINS, Colo. (UPI) — Floyd Robertson, father of three young children, sobbed out details of the sex murder of blond 18-year-old Marjorie Schneider to Sheriff Ray Scheerer today.

"We intend to get a signed statement from him today," Scheerer said, as he emerged from a questioning session with the 24-year-old cement worker who confessed he pumped three rifle shots into the girl.

The sheriff quoted Robertson as saying he drove about 25 miles to Penneck Pass with Marjorie after he abducted her from a lovers' lane parking spot early Sunday.

"I'm positive that he shot her at close range," the sheriff said. "There were powder burns near one wound."

Democrats Take Edge

Newly registered Democrats have an edge of about 231 over Republicans who signed up during the current tour of the Bucks County traveling registrars.

The registrars will complete their visits Saturday, sitting at the Bristol Farmers Market and Auction, Route 413, Bristol Township. Registration for the November election will be taken up to 4 p.m. next Monday at the county registration office in Doylestown.

The new - registered voters, through last Saturday, including those who registered in Doylestown through Friday are: Democrats, 2,762; Republicans, 2,531; no party, 144; independent and other parties (one Socialist) 92.

Before the resumption of registration in the county May 26 there were 46,400 Democrats; 65,989 Republicans; 2,237; no party and 769 independent and other parties.

Tunisia Decides To Join Arab League

TUNIS (UPI) — Tunisia formally decided Monday night to join the Arab League.

A Tunisian cabinet meeting under President Habib Bourguiba, took the decision. Tunisia thus lined up with its North African neighbor, Morocco, which has already announced it will join the eight-nation league.

Good Evening!

Skies on the chilly side.

Hint of autumn in the air for sure and fuel companies already beginning to rub their hands. Also foliage beginning to look real tired.

Pennsylvania Public Utilities Commission rejects a \$2,772,000 annual rate increase proposed by the Bell Telephone company and in this instance the commission acted wisely in the interest of the consumers.

That's its job—to look after utility and customer alike. All too frequently the fellow who pays the freight has been completely forgotten and anyhow it's gratifying to note somebody somewhere rejecting the idea of boosting prices.

As Maine goes so goes the nation, grandpa used to say, and if it's true, the GOP is going to be in plenty of trouble in November, judging from what happened yesterday.

Democratic Gov. Muskie rolled up a record vote in beating Republican Payne, present incumbent, for the U. S. Senate and it was the first time in history the people of Maine ever sent a Democrat to the Upper House. Oh, yes. Payne admitted accepting gifts from that certain Mr. Goldfine.

Moscow says it will regard any attack on the Chinese Communist territory as an attack on the Soviet Union and the U. S. calls on Russia to put the brakes on Red China as the Quemoy situation becomes more alarming.

Well, it still appears Washington and Moscow prefer talking to fighting and as long as it stays that way we're in no immediate danger.

Frankly, we'd prefer everybody get back to shooting at the moon.

Second story man: The fellow whose wife doesn't believe his first story.

A lot of girls dream of being swept off their feet by a man they can dominate.

The fellow wore a stern look on his face: his mother had been frightened by the rear end of a ferry boat.

Watch your driving.

His License's Suspended But He Keeps Driving

Tot Given 15 Stitches After Fall

A Levittown boy is recovering today from a fall into a drainage ditch in the Whitewood section of Levittown.

Ronald Deak, 2½, of 48 Gingerbush Road, Goldenridge, tumbled into the ditch through a break in the fence around the area. The boy fell more than 10 feet down the side of the ditch into five inches of water.

Mrs. Deak said he was pulled out by a passing boy and several neighbors who saw the boy fall.

Mrs. Deak was alerted by her daughter, Suzanne, 3½, who ran home to tell her mother.

The injured boy was treated for cuts and bruises about the head and face at Lower Bucks County Hospital. He was released after receiving 15 stitches.

Maine Demos

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— the first Democrat elected to the post in 20 years in 1954.

Clauson, a 62-year-old former state internal revenue collector, defeated former Maine Governor Horace A. Hildreth, who also served as ambassador to Pakistan and as president of Bucknell University.

Democrat James C. Oliver replaced First District Congressman Robert Hale and Democratic Congressman Frank M. Coffin of the Second District was re-elected, defeating former Neil S. Bishop.

The only Republican congressman re-elected was Clifford G. McIntire of the Third District. The potato industry leader dumped Democrat Gerald J. Grady, a young assistant professor of government at the University of Maine.

Complete unofficial returns from Maine's 632 precincts gave:

U. S. Senator Edmund S. Muskie (D) 170,626, Frederick G. Payne (R) (incumbent) 109,954.

Governor: Clinton A. Clauson (D) 143,400, Horace A. Hildreth (R) 132,512.

1st Cong. Dist. (157 precincts complete): James C. Oliver (D) 55,113, Robert Hale (R) (incumbent) 50,841.

2nd Cong. Dist. (210 precincts complete): Frank M. Coffin (D) (incumbent) 58,554, Neil S. Bishop (R) 36,689.

3rd Cong. Dist. (265 precincts complete): Clifford G. McIntire (R) (incumbent) 39,111, Gerald J. Grady (D) 30,783.

Aside from a few Democratic interruptions, Maine had been almost solidly Republican since the Republican party was founded in the 1850's.

For Oliver, a one-time Republican, victory over Hale was sweet since Oliver was defeated by Hale in 1956 by only 29 votes.

Hale was seated while that disputed contest was taken to the national House and there was not a final decision in favor of Hale until this summer.

India Engineers Tour Fairless Plant

A select group of 113 graduate engineers from India were guests yesterday at U. S. Steel's Fairless Works as announced by K. L. Johannsen, general superintendent of the big steelmaking facility.

The young men were conducted on a special tour of the plant by key staff personnel. In addition, they visited U. S. Steel's National Tube Division plant, also at Fairless Works.

After lunch at Fairless Works, a question-and-answer discussion period was conducted for the visitors by key plant personnel who provided additional timely information on modern steel mill operations.

Where To Register

Bucks County Traveling Registrars will sit at the following places to register new voters:

TODAY
Walt Disney School, Lakeside Drive, Levittown.

TOMORROW
Croydon Fire House, State Road and Paterson St., Edgely Fire House, Edgely Ave., Edgely.

SATURDAY
Bristol Farmer's Market, Route 413 and Durham Road, Bristol Township.

The registrars will sit at the above places between 2 p.m. and 9 p.m. Voters can not change their party registration at this time.

Grandmother At 30



Mrs. Evelyn Caldwell, of Winston Salem, N.C., holds "the best birthday present I ever had" as she plays with granddaughter Tammy Reno, born Aug. 29. A grandmother at 30, Mrs.

Caldwell was married at the age of 10, claiming she was 18 at the time. Her daughter, Mrs. Shirley Everhart (C), was 16 when she was married last October. (UPI Telephoto)

Clara Barton School Opens Tomorrow Without Cafeteria

The Clara Barton Elementary School will open tomorrow, six days late, as previously announced. It was reported by Bristol Township School officials today.

The opening of the 20-room building, located on Blue Lake Road, Blue Ridge, Levittown, was delayed because workers had not finished the building yet.

The school is still not finished, but according to Henry B. Decker, assistant superintendent of schools, pupils will be able to occupy the classrooms.

The cafeteria will not be ready tomorrow, he said. Children will have to bring their lunches they will have to eat in their classrooms since the all-purpose room, which will be used as auditorium and gymnasium as well

as lunch room is now piled high with supplies and equipment.

Decker explained that milk and ice cream will be available for the students.

The driveway has not been paved yet. Decker said it will be about another week before the

blacktop is laid.

Work on the school started last October. Construction was hampered by wet weather. Decker said poor drainage conditions aggravated the situation causing water to lay on the building site for long periods.

Nude Gets Jail Term For Resisting Arrest

Perry James Storm, 45, of 132 Schumacher Drive, Bristol Terrace 1, who admitted striking two policemen arresting him for running around nude, was ready to start a term of 60 days to 20 months in Bucks County Prison before lunch yesterday. But in

the afternoon the prison term was extended to run 18 months to three years.

Judge I. Louis Rubin reopened the hearing after a previous prison record was brought to his attention by Assistant District Attorney Edward G. Biester Jr.

Storm had pleaded nolo contendere to charges of open lewdness, public indecency, assault and battery and resisting arrest. The plea meant that he was not contesting the charges.

Bristol Township Patrolman William Jayne said Storm struck him and Patrolman Warren Renshaw on July 12 when the two went to arrest him.

During the luncheon recess yesterday Biester checked records from the Bucks County Prison and learned that Storm had spent several years in prison in New Jersey for indecency and lewdness and that he had been committed to the insane asylum at Penhurst. Storm had not revealed this record to the judge.

Assault, Battery Charge
With the longer sentence to Bucks County Prison came a strong admonishment from Judge Rubin. The sentencing was for assault and battery and resisting arrest.

Sentence was suspended on the lewdness and indecency charges.

Arena Site Being Studied

Bristol Borough Council last night proved receptive to the idea of considering an area near the Mill Street parking lot for location of the proposed Delaware Valley Arena.

Alex Deans of the area association said the location of Bristol itself and the nearness to Levittown, Pa., and Levittown, N.J. makes the Bristol location an area "of prime commercial potential."

At the regular session of Council, a short one that lasted less than an hour and also appointed two police officers, a session was set up for Thursday to consider the arena problems involved. William Veitch, Council president, said such an arena could bring new trade and business into the area.

The arena association has also considered land along Route 1 for location of the building. It will offer public skating and sports events such as basketball and ice hockey and name band dances.

Deans said the overtures from Bristol were very encouraging.

A ready parking lot in the borough, always a prime factor in sports arenas, makes the Bristol location quite attractive, Deans said. Parking has played a vital part in the success of many new sports ventures, notably the baseball park of the Milwaukee Braves, it was pointed out.

The civil service commission recommended the police force appointments of James Flanagan and Martin Gross, who finished highest on a recent police civil service test. Council approved the appointments.

Inter-State Marine Unit To Hold Drill

The Inter-State Marine Association will sponsor a drill Thursday at 7 p.m., at Bristol Township's Langenfelder Lake, Bath and Bristol-Oxford Valley Roads.

Rescue units from Lower Bucks County and Trenton - Burlington County (N.J.), will participate in the mock recovery of "two bodies, supposedly drowned."

Area Motorist Nabbed After Indictment

Henry Ritterson, 22, of Fifth and Broadway Aves., West Bristol, likes to drive his car—apparently with or without a license.

Yesterday the Bucks County Grand Jury returned a bill of indictment against Ritterson on a charge of driving while his license was permanently suspended. He will probably be tried on the charge next week.

But last night Ritterson decided to go for a drive in his car. He was spotted by Bristol Township Patrolman William Jayne at a service station on Route 13 and Cedar Ave. Ritterson headed to Bensalem Township. Jayne notified Bensalem Patrolman William Johnson who stopped the car and arrested Ritterson.

Under Double Bail
He was taken before JP Rene Tritschler, of Croydon, and released under \$100 bail to await Grand Jury action on the charge of driving with a suspended license. He is already under \$2,000 bail on the indictment returned by the Grand Jury yesterday.

This was the fifth time his driving habits got Ritterson into trouble. Dating back to 1951 his license has been revoked twice and suspended once. He now has been arrested three times for driving with a suspended or revoked license.

It started in 1951 when he was first arrested for driving a car without the consent of its owner. His license was then revoked for a year.

Then he was arrested in 1955 on a drunken driving charge. His license was revoked for another year. A short time later he was arrested on a charge of driving while his license was revoked.

As a result of this arrest his license was suspended permanently.

Then last July 17 Ritterson was arrested by Patrolman Johnson on the charge presented to the Grand Jury yesterday.

Sex Slaying

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quiet and "I never heard a word out of him."

But quiet or not, Robertson broke down yesterday and confessed he went on a violent rampage in which he shot up a car with four people in it then kidnapped, mutilated and killed one of its occupants.

Dr. Robert J. Schmidt, Larimer County coroner, performed a two-hour autopsy last night and said the girl died from "three bullet wounds in the head."

"There was evidence of sexual relations before the girl's death," the coroner said.

Psychology Professor To Address Club

Dr. E. Donald Longenecker, professor of psychology at Ogontz enter Penn State University, consulting psychologist at the Woods Schools, Langhorne, and chairman of the Professional Advisory Committee of Valley Day School, Fallington, will address the Bensalem Rotary Club in Kings Hall, tonight.

Dr. Longenecker is a resident of Yardley where he lives with his wife and two children.

Old Favorite Opens At Bucks Playhouse

By GORDON PARKER
Courier-Times Staff Writer

"The Children's Hour," which is definitely not a show for children, opened for a two-weeks' stay at the Bucks County Playhouse last night.

The 25-year-old Lillian Hellman play tells of the tragic effects resulting from a wild tale told by a vengeful, troublemaking student of a girl's boarding school.

The girl, Mary Tilford portrayed by Mary Moor, tells her influential grandmother that the two women who run the school are "lovers." She claims she saw them kissing.

Doubts Begin

The reported homosexuality forces the two women, played by Linda Darnell and Margaret Phillips, to close the school. Afraid of meeting the outside the two shut themselves up in their house. Before long they begin to doubt themselves.

In the end they are vindicated but not before one commits suicide.

The play holds the audience's interest despite several weaknesses, notably in the first and

final acts. The drama reached a peak in the second act when Mary Tilford, aided by an unwilling accomplice, makes her accusation.

The play never hit this peak again. The third act was hurt by the fumbling of Richard St. John who played the role of Dr. Joseph Cardin.

Good Job

But on the whole the acting was good. Miss Darnell turned in a good job as did Miss Moor. Top honors were carried off by Miss Phillips, however. In fact the scene in which she, as Martha Dobie, admits to "feelings" towards Karen Wright, was the best part of the third act.

Marilyn Stratford was well cast in the part of the aunt who still living in the past. Most of the laughs came from this part. Other good jobs were turned in by Olga Dallas, who played the grandmother, and Penny Parker, who had the role of the school girl forced into telling the lie.

Several students from New Hope High School were cast as students at the boarding school and turned in adequate jobs.

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Going In Circles

By MAURY ALLEN

Another Bucks County educational first will begin next Monday as sightless and partially sightless youngsters get a chance to learn under conditions especially suited to their needs.

Dr. Alice Stone of the Bucks County Child Development Center, Levittown, said a class of five youngsters has been tentatively completed. The class will include first, second and third grade youngsters.

Stone said parents of any blind or partially blind youngster interested in applying for the course may contact the Child Development Center for further information.

A recent Eddington bride has a tricky way of keeping a watchful eye on her Coast Guard husband when he is away on duty. She keeps close touch with amateur radio help.

Mrs. Patricia Hess, 1658 Brown Ave., Eddington, recently talked to her husband

through an intermediary in Illinois who contacted her husband's Coast Guard Cutter through ham radio. The cutter, an icebreaker, was in the waters near Thule, Greenland, when the Illinois man reached the ship, and in turn, called Mrs. Hess.

Couldn't you hear the conversation now?

"Yes dear, I'm wearing my long underwear and my woolen socks and my fur lined cap. . ."

William F. Clark, 19 Oval Turn Lane, Levittown, is currently a patient at Wilmington, Del., V.A. Hospital. Clark is active in Bucks County politics and his friends say he can make a speech that would rival the silver tongued political orations of William Jennings Bryan, at a moment's notice.

A get well card to him at the Wilmington VA Hospital would hasten his recovery, his friends said.

Burglars Loot Old Route 13 Gas Station

Burglars crashed a plate glass window at a service station on Old Route 13, Bristol, this morning and took \$10 in cash and 130 packs of cigarettes from a cigarette machine.

The station is owned by the Voltz Oil Company out leased to the service station manager. Police did not have his name available.

Bristol Borough Chief Vincent Faragalli said the theft was discovered at 8:30 this morning by William Aufschlag, 530 Oak Ave., Croydon, a driver for Voltz.

Police said the thieves took the cigarette machine from its spot in the front of the station to the rear of the building. There they cracked it open and looted the contents.

Bristol Borough Patrolmen William Shire and Ivan Washkow investigated the burglary.

Hoops

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in line in Newark to get our quota. And the dealers ration them."

Mrs. Moran said the salesgirls all are capable of demonstrating them. "But most of the kids are pretty skilled and can teach us. They all see them demonstrated on TV."

Mrs. Pat Nichols of Bristol's Nichols Camera and Kiddieland, said the fad came from a dealer who saw it in Australia. He calls it the whammo hoop. There are models in plastic, and rejected rubber hose. Some even came out in wood.

The kids have found several ways to entertain themselves with the hoop. The toys are wound around their bodies and the youngsters gyrate with the typical movements made famous by Presley. Only faster and oftener.

The hoops are placed either around the chest or around the waist and whirl madly around the body as the youngsters keep moving. The kids compete by time to see who can keep the hoop moving faster and longer.

Some kids can also skip over the hoops like jumping ropes.

Dick Weintraub of Dick's Toy Mart in the Midway Shopping Center, said he sold out in one day and has been trying for two weeks to get more without any luck.

In Yardley, L. P. Murray of the Yardley Five and Ten Cent store, said some people hunted the countryside for the hoops. One man called from Bordentown, N.J., and hurried over after being unable to find a hoop in any local store.

One dealer said the fad has grown so rapidly, "even the parents are no longer ashamed to hoop in public. They all admit they do it in private."

Jury Returns 30 True Bills

Thirty true bills with charges ranging from drunken driving to assault with intent to maim were handed down by the Bucks County Grand Jury in its first day of deliberation in the September term yesterday.

The jury foreman is Frazier Hunt, Newtown RD, noted former correspondent and journalist.

The assault bills were returned against two Newtown men in connection with a fight in that borough May 16.

Thomas Johnson, RD1 and Elwood Hargrave, 122 North Congress St., were both indicted for assault with intent to maim, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery and carrying a concealed deadly weapon.

The jury ignored charges against the two of assault with intent to kill and attempt with intent to kill, returning "no true bills" on these counts.

Births

Lower Bucks Hospital

Sept. 7

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gannon, 16 Dolphin Road, Levittown, girl Mr. and Mrs. Willy Goodon, 557 Court B, Bristol, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hanter, Maple Point, R.D. 1, Langhorne, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rymarowicz, 239 Tewksbury Road, Fairless Hills, girl

Sept. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Fur-lano, 1414 Wilson Ave., Bristol, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Green, 124 Lincoln Highway, Pennel, boy

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Maxwell, 7 Quickset Road, Levittown, boy

Buffer Strip To Be Rezoned In Makefield

Supervisors Set Hearings For Oct. 21

By JACK SCULLIN
Courier-Times Staff Writer

The Lower Makefield Township Board of Supervisors last night set Oct. 21 for public hearings on three proposed changes in zoning, sign and swimming pool ordinances.

A buffer strip, between Big Oak Road and the township line which separates Makefield with Falls Township, will be rezoned to an A residential district from its present B residential status. A move to get the section rezoned to a higher classification has been spearheaded by the Makefield Village Civic Association. No opposition is expected on the change.

Amendments Proposed
Amendments are also proposed for the sign and swimming pool ordinances and every attempt will be made to have another public hearing at the same time.

Holland Development Company sought approval last night for an extension of Pine Brook 2 development. The plan will be submitted to the Planning Board and may be ready to be heard on Oct. 21.

The Supervisors last night gave approval to two sub-division tracts. They were those of William Metz, a subdivision with two lots on Dolington Road and two on Prospect Drive, and of William Fulper, who will build on nine lots in the Fenwood tract on the River Road, south of Black Rock Road. The board approved the Metz subdivision on the basis that Prospect Drive, which is not a township road, will not be maintained by the township.

Police Pension Fund
Township Manager William Struwe was authorized to advertise for bids for the establishment of a police pension plan for the 10-man police department. At present the police department has only a partial plan for two men. Bids will be received on Oct. 6.

The board announced the appointment of Clayton Mills, Ovington Road, to the Board of Adjustment to replace Hugh Caylor, who resigned because he has moved from the area. Before the selection of Mills, the Makefield Village Civic Association proposed the name of Willard C. Berglund. Supervisor Peter F. Campbell said Berglund's name had been considered before the board made its selection of Mills.

Ross Bennington was named chairman of United Nations Day in the township, which will be observed Oct. 24. Bennington, who resides in Sylvan Terrace, will be assisted by Struwe in observance plans.

New Signs Approved
The Makefield Village Civic Association, through its president, Walter D'Arcy, said it was willing to pay for "Watch Children" signs and suggested several locations in which they be placed. The signs cost \$4.85 each and will be paid for by the civic group, with installation by the township. Locations submitted were Sandy Drive, Rita Road, Williams Lane, Makefield Road and Big Oak Road.

Abraham Glantz, 1604 Westover Road, asked the board if a house built in his area conformed with the zoning ordinance. He was told it was possible the area was subdivided before the zoning ordinance was put into effect but the board promised to investigate the problem.

Stockham Society To Meet Tomorrow

Mrs. J. Percy Haines, Edgewood Road, Lower Makefield, will be hostess at the first fall meeting of the Alice G. Stockham Society of the Episcopal Church of the Incarnation, Morrisville.

The meeting will be held tomorrow at 8 p.m. at her home. Mrs. Joseph P. Clark, president, will conduct the business meeting.

Union Fire Company To Plan Activities

Union Fire Company, Morrisville, will resume its twice-monthly meetings tonight at 8 o'clock at the fire house. President William Hutchinson has announced.

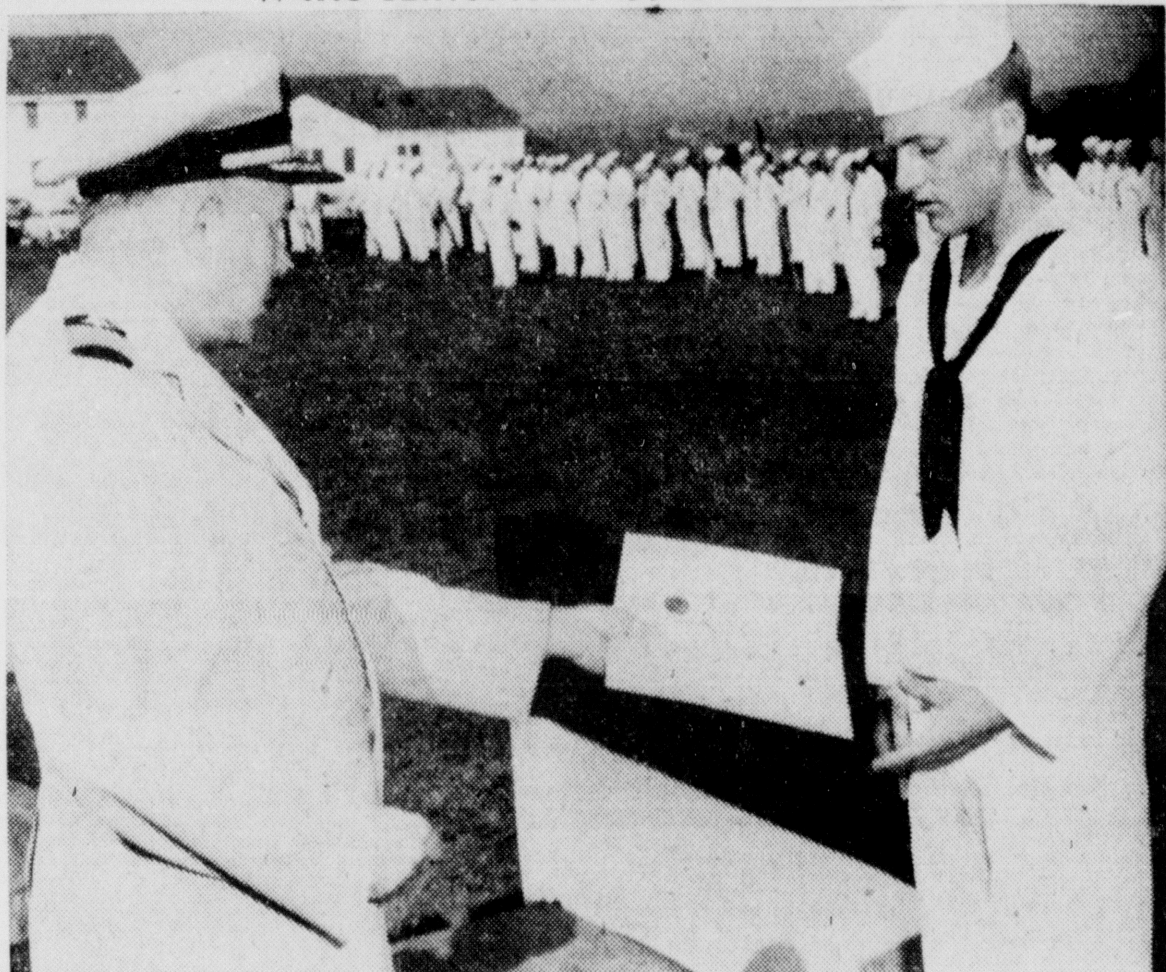
Meetings will be held the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, he said. All members were urged to attend tonight's confab to discuss the season's activities.

Morrisville Legion Slates Session Tonight

Sanford-Diletto Post 433 American Legion in Morrisville will resume its fall schedule with a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the post home, 215 West Bridge St.

Commander James Onofri said plans for several events will be made at tonight's session.

Wins American Spirit Medal



Captain J. R. Stewart, (left), commanding officer, U. S. Naval Air Station, Willow Grove, presents Donald Shorey, Airman, R.D. No. 1, Yardley, with the coveted American Spirit Honor Medal, as an award for his display of outstanding qualities of leadership best expressing the American Spirit, honor, initiative, loyalty and high example to comrades in arms. He was chosen from 160 airman recruits attending the 85-day training program. This medal is presented by the Citizens Committee for the Army, Navy and Air Force, Inc. Shorey, a senior at Pennsbury High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shorey.

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Morrisville Yardley Makefield

Yardley Airman Completes Initial Air Force Course

Airman Third Class William A. Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Gardner of 586 Carlisle Drive, Morrisville, has completed his initial course of Air Force basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. He has been selected to attend the technical training course for Radio and Radar Maintenance at Keesler AFB, Miss.

Airman Gardner is a graduate of Morrisville High School and was employed by Howard Johnson's Restaurant prior to entering the Air Force.

Basic Airmen at Lackland are selected for specialized training at technical schools on the basis of their interests and aptitudes. They are reassigned to the school after four weeks of basic, and are given additional military training along with the technical subjects.

Airman Gardner enlisted at the Bristol Air Force Recruiting Office located at 7406 Bristol Pike.

Makefield Emergency Not Holding Drive

James McGrath, president of the Lower Makefield Emergency Unit No. 1, said today the unit, whose consolidated ambulance serves Yardley, Lower and Upper Makefield Townships, is not conducting a fund drive at this time.

He said residents will be notified through civic groups and the press when such a drive is in progress.

Rainbow Girls Plan Election Of Officers

Morrisville Assembly 107, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, will hold nomination and election of officers tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the fellowship hall of the First Presbyterian Church.

Judy Pollock, presiding worthy advisor, will conduct the business meeting.

Tri-F Club Group To Visit Music Circus

Several members of the Tri-F Club of the First Presbyterian Church, Morrisville, will see a performance of "Damm Yankees" at the Lambertville Music Circus tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dreher are in charge of reservations.

District Governor To Address Lions

A. Fred Manno, Media, Pa., district governor of the Lions, will be the principal speaker tonight at a meeting of the Yardley-Makefield Lions Club at Landwehr's Restaurant, River Road, Trenton, at 7 o'clock.

John Elder, president, will conduct the business meeting, first of the season.

Reception Set For Pastor

Dr. Clarence F. Carter, new pastor of the Morrisville Methodist Church and Mrs. Carter, will be honored at a reception tomorrow at 8 p.m. at George K. Ryan Hall.

Dr. Carter succeeded a few months ago Rev. Harold J. Schieck as pastor of the Morrisville church.

Metz Chairman

Charles Metz, lay leader, will serve as toastmaster for the reception, planned by the pastoral relations committee of the church. He is being assisted with arrangements by J. Herbert Wright, Robert Habel and Mrs. William Brewer.

Pastors of Morrisville churches have been invited to attend the reception.

Dinner arrangements are being completed by Mrs. Brewer, chairman; Mrs. Frank Haze, Mrs. Donald Elhoff, Mrs. Charles C. Young, Jr., Mrs. William Gentry and Mrs. Ewart Marsh.

Civic Group Plans Meeting Tonight

The Pennsbury Heights Civic Association will hold its first business meeting of the season tonight at 8 o'clock at Fallsington Elementary School.

Reports will be heard from James Steward, chairman of the swimming pool committee. President Walter Korpulinski will conduct the business meeting.

David Struble, Falls Township tax collector, will be a speaker and answer questions on tax matters.

Korpulinski announced the appointment of John Miller, Jr. as vice - president succeeding Edmund Bevan, who has moved from the area.

Guild Plans Supper

S. Theresa's Guild of Holy Trinity Church, Morrisville, will sponsor a covered dish supper at 7 o'clock tonight at the Holy Trinity Parochial School auditorium.

Rescue Unit Now Holding Fund Drive

The Delaware Valley Rescue Squad, Morrisville, is now holding a building fund drive, President Robert Houghton said today.

He said that members are now distributing coin cards to residents in Falls Township and Morrisville and parts of Lower Makefield Township and Levittown and urged that those receiving the cards fill them. They will be collected at the end of the drive late in November.

Need Headquarters

Houghton said the rescue unit is in need of new headquarters. The owner of the present property on West Trenton Ave., he said, wants to use the building for something else and the rescue squad will have to vacate by Jan. 1. Houghton said the squad was looking for a building, preferably on Route 1 in Falls Township, to house a duty room, small dispensary and kitchen if possible. Houghton said a garage was preferable but not necessary.

The rescue unit now has two ambulances and a heavy duty truck and provides 24-hour service by Red Cross-trained personnel, Houghton said.

Calu Chairman

In charge of the fund drive are Don Calu, chairman; Mrs. Mary DeLarosa, Harry Draggio and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jacobson.

Court Ruling To Be Aired

Arguments on a ruling of the Bucks County court turning down an appeal from the Morrisville Shopping Center to build a gas station and liquor store on its parking lot will be aired in Doylestown on Sept. 17.

Borough Solicitor Charles Conturso will represent Morrisville at the hearing.

Application Turned Down

An application by the shopping center to build the gas station on the street level on its parking lot on the northwest corner of Trenton and Pennsylvania Aves. and a liquor store on the parking yard level was turned down last year by Borough Secretary Robert H. Steward, zoning officer. The application was later turned down by the Board of Adjustment.

The courts upheld appeals and now the center seeks an exception to the ruling by the courts.

Cites Two Reasons

Steward turned down the application, he said, for two reasons. One, he pointed out, is because of the borough ordinance which requires off street parking for automobiles for a "Business A" district. This the center didn't have, he said. Another reason was a safety factor. The center planned two exits and entrances to the state streets, both of which are state highways.

Captures Horse Show Trophy



Rev. Daniel J. Daly, (right), pastor of St. Andrew's R.C. Church, Newtown, is shown presenting Linda Blackwell of Morrisville, the St. Andrew's Trophy at the recent Penns Park Horse Show at Sweetbriar Farm, Penns Park. Looking on is Earl Wardell, Hatboro, ringmaster. Miss Black-

well rode "Grey Bonnet" (also shown) owned by Joseph Molony, manager of the show in the Children's Handy Hunter Division. Proceeds of the event will benefit St. Andrew's Church and local charities.

(Photo by James Calhoun)

Mrs. Moon Rites Set

Mrs. Lydia L. Moon, 92, 435 North Pennsylvania Ave., Morrisville, one of the borough's oldest residents, died yesterday at Mercer Hospital, Trenton.

Born in Morrisville, Mrs. Moon was the widow of Elwood K. Moon. She was the daughter of the late Joseph and Mary Ann Reynolds Meirs and is survived by a son, C. Percy Moon, Morrisville; two grandchildren and four great grandchildren. She was a member of the Morrisville Methodist Church.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. from the Stacy B. Brown Funeral Home, 323 East Washington Ave., Newtown. Rev. Guy H. Everly, of the Chelton Ave. Methodist Church, Germantown, and former pastor of the Morrisville Methodist Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Morrisville Cemetery.

Friends may call tomorrow from 7 to 9 p.m.

Births

ABINGTON HOSPITAL

Week Ending Sept. 4

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Jobson, Bristol, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gallo-way, Newtown, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bell, Huntingdon Valley, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Gable, Levittown, boy.

Morrisville Schools Initiate Intensified New Reading Program

Morrisville Public Schools will initiate in its curriculum this year an intensified reading program which will now extend from kindergarten through the 12th grade.

"The new program," E. Leonard Caum, high school principal said, "will strive to improve the reading of every student in the school."

"It will be a continuation of the formal reading program taught in the elementary schools and will be concerned primarily at the secondary level with the continued improvement and development of the reading skills," he added.

Mrs. Helen Strunk, reading consultant for the Morrisville Public Schools, will supervise the program, assisted by Mrs. Sara Hughes, of the high school faculty.

Placed In Groups

At the present time most of the students in the Morrisville Junior-Senior High School have been placed in groups according to reading ability. The new developmental program provides for each student to be given an individual reading inventory. "As the program evolves," Caum said, "many pupils will be redistributed into those classes which meet most nearly their particular reading needs and where they may best use the reading materials placed at their disposal."

It is expected that the re-

At the senior high school level, Caum pointed out, the developmental program will strive to further improve reading techniques and skills, develop vocabulary and enlarge reading interests and tastes.

A series of workshops has been planned to provide all teachers with instructions in the techniques of teaching reading.

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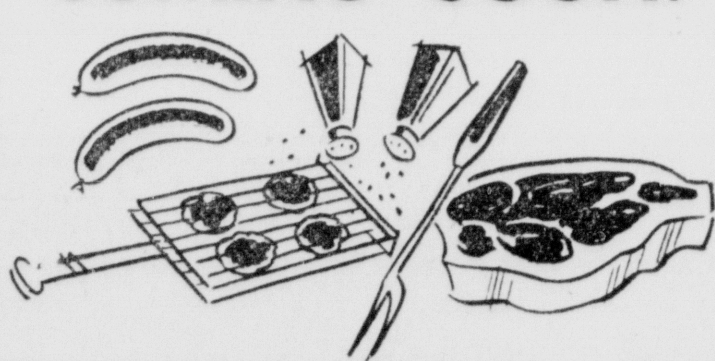
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